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Sir:

This Communication is filed in response to the a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated September 13, 2004, a copy of which is attached hereto issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified Application. A response to the September 13, 2004 of Non-Compliant Amendment is due November 13, 2004. Accordingly, this Communication is being timely filed.

Claims: The listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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